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Remarks:

The Examiner has required the Applicant to elect between two groups of claims, group (I) being directed to a write element and group (II) being directed to a method of constructing a write element. The Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, group (I) for prosecution. Accordingly, claims 12-19 have been withdrawn from consideration.

In the event a telephone conversation would expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner may reach the undersigned at (408) 971-2573. For payment of any additional fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-2587 (Order No. HJS920030270US1).

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